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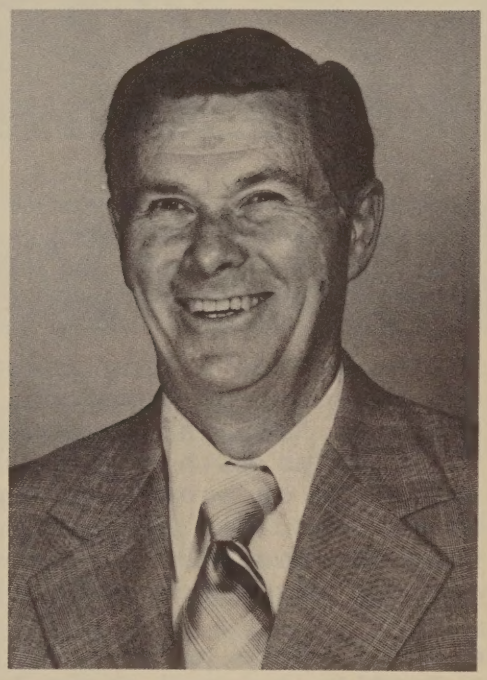
WELCOME ABOARD

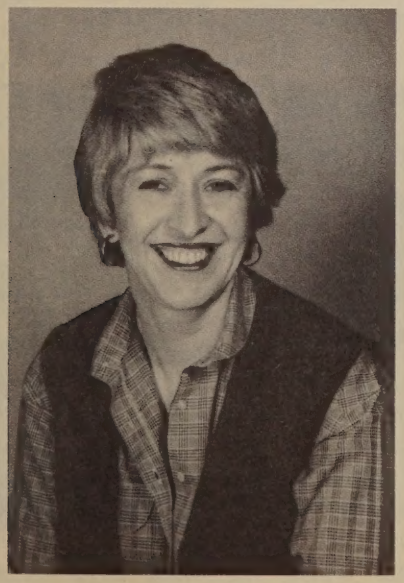
MR. MARTIN J. HAYDEN



On Tuesday, January 2, 1979, Mr. Martin J. Hayden was appointed to the position of Director of Engineering. Many of us had the opportunity of greeting him at the Welcoming Tea given on January 5th. To those who were not able to attend, we make this introduction.

Mr. Hayden is a graduate of Manhattan College and had been employed with the Presbyterian Hospital for the past 11 years. His extensive experience will be very valuable to the Hospital, especially during the period of construction and modifications.

On behalf of the HSS family, we welcome Mr. Hayden and hope his association with us is a long and happy one.



MS. CLEO STIBLER

On March 19, 1979, Ms. Cleo Stibler joined the Research Division staff as Administrator of Grants/Operations.

Ms. Stibler brings to HSS a wealth of experience and a solid background in the field of Grants Administration. She was awarded her Bachelor Degree from Seton Hall University in New Jersey. Prior to joining the Hospital, Ms. Stibler held the title of Grants Administrator at the New York Medical College.

On behalf of all, we extend to her a very warm HSS welcome.

HOSPITAL HONORS WALTER SCHULZ

Sounds of laughter, good cheer and much well wishing could be heard coming from the rear of the Hospital's Lecture Hall, as many of the Hospital family gathered together to wish Walter Schulz farewell. The occasion was Walter's Retirement Tea which was held on Friday, January 26, 1979.

In saluting Walter's long association with the Hospital, Dr. Robert Mellors, Director of Research, and Mr. James O'Neill, Associate Director for Financial Affairs, recounted many memorable highlights in a career that first began with the Hospital in 1952. In view of these many years of service and on behalf of the HSS family, Walter was presented with a gift of an inscribed Revere Silver Bowl which was followed by a special gift from the Research Division. Much to Walter's delight and everyone's surprise, he was given his present typewriter.

In accepting these gifts and the well deserved compliments of all present, Walter readily quipped about his past and the many associations and relationships he had developed over the years. At the conclusion of his remarks, he received a most enthusiastic round of applause.

All at Special Surgery wish Walter the very best for the future.

CLASS 52 GRADUATES

First Row, Left to Right: Mary Oliver, Lorner Foster, Melrita Morgan, Jennifer Henry, Corine Calabro, Barbara Sousa, Anne Roderick, Deborah O'Hare; Second Row, Left to Right: Kathleen Baynes, Joann Curran, Cassandra Gathers, Cathleen O'Connor, Mildred Hallock, Leo Burghardt, Fay Kelly-West, Jacqueline Robinson, Patricia Pollard.

On Thursday evening, March 22nd, the fifty-second class of the Hospital for Special Surgery School of Practical Nursing held its commencement exercise among admiring friends and family. The sixteen graduates entered the Lecture Hall followed by the school faculty, each of whom had been given a long stem rose by the class. Greeted by Mrs. Barbara Kelly, Director of Nursing, they were addressed by the Hospital's Associate Executive Director, Mr. T. Richard Quigley.

Upon congratulating the graduates and their families, Mr. Quigley noted that as students they had persevered through a course of strenuous study and now were ready to enter into a career dedicated to the concept of "caring." This he noted was the very concept at the heart of the nursing profession and the health care industry.

Following Mr. Quigley, Ms. Barbara Sousa, Class President, then addressed her fellow graduates, and in their behalf presented Miss Mildred Hallock, the retiring Director of Nursing Education, with a gift of a gold charm in the shape of a nursing cap. Speaking for faculty and graduates, Ms. Sousa thanked Miss Hallock for her years of devoted service to the school.

Awards were then presented by Mrs. Charlotte Reuter, Chairman of the Women's Auxiliary. The award for Highest Academic Average was presented to Ms. Anne Roderick. Awards for Exceptional Ability in the Art of Nursing went to Ms. Mary Oliver and Ms. Cathleen O'Connor.

The entire HSS family wishes to extend its heartiest congratulations to the new graduates!

THE EMPLOYEE ACTIVITY COMMITTEE...

...is an enthusiastic group of employees representing various departments who meet on a monthly basis to plan activities and events of interest to all HSS staff.

Exercise

Supple bodies and relaxed minds are the rewards of Yoga. Weekly classes are held here at the Hospital under the direction of Ms. Gabriel Taylor, a qualified Yoga instructor. We are about to embark on a second series of classes.

Culture

Dr. David Silverman, Assistant Professor of Egyptology representing The Metropolitan Museum of Art, conducted a lecture and slide presentation on Tutankhumen. The employee audience agreed that it was thoroughly enjoyable as well as an educational event.

Health

We are most concerned with anything that effects the health of our employees. In line with this, we invited the American Cancer Society to show a film on the Hazards of Smoking. Following the film, Dr. Eryol, a physician with the American Cancer Society, conducted a lecture and question and answer period. If employee response indicates interest in forming a Non-Smokers Group, we will arrange to have the meetings at a convenient hour and location.

Disco

"It's the brightest, liveliest group I've had yet," said Jim Elliot, professional dance instructor, as he described his first HSS Disco Class. Our employees have already completed one 6-class series in basic steps. Those progressive graduates have moved to the Intermediate-Advanced class and a new Basic-Step group has been formed. The classes meet each Monday at 5:05 P.M. and 6:05 P.M. Friends and dance partners of employees are also welcome to join.

Horseback Riding

Lessons are available at a discount to HSS employees and their families with Bridle Vale Farm and School of Equitation, Franklin Lakes, New Jersey. The farm is easy to reach by car and the Personnel Department has cards and directions.

Softball

The HSS team will play each Sunday morning at 9:00 A.M. in Riverside Park. All employees are welcome! That includes pros, beginners, spectators and cheerleaders.

BY THE WAY...

...If you would like to contribute your ideas and suggestions to our Committee, we have a special box at the Information Desk for this purpose. Simply address your suggestions to the Employee Activity Committee Hospital mailbox.

You may have seen our newly published monthly newsletter which will inform you of our present activities and future events. Anyone seeking more information on any of these programs should contact the Personnel Department at extension 115.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Mr. John R. Ahearn, Personnel Director, has recently been elected to serve as the Vice President of the Association of Hospital Personnel Administrators (AHPA) for the year 1979 through 1980.

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In March 1979, *Dr. Adele Boskey* received the Kappa Delta Award for Distinguished Research in Orthopaedics which was presented at the Orthopaedic Research Society and the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons' meeting in San Francisco. In addition, she has been invited to prepare a review article for Volume 2 of Inorganic Perspectives in Biology and Medicine.

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In addition to his many tasks within the institution, *Mr. Donald S. Broas*, Vice President and Executive Director, has recently been named to serve on the Board of Governors--Class of 1982 of the Greater New York Hospital Association and on the Board of Governors for the New York Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation. He has also been asked to Chair the Hospital Association of New York State (HANYS) Sub-Committee on Workers' Compensation and is presently serving as Secretary of the Hospital Administrators' Club of New York.

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Ms. Peggy Webb, Chief Dietitian, has been elected Chairperson for the 50th Anniversary New York State Dietetic Association Convention to be held in New York City at the Sheraton Hotel on May 1st, 2nd and 3rd of 1980.

Ms. Eden Kalman, Assistant Chief Dietitian, will be co-Chairperson for the Convention.

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CONGRATULATIONS...

...to *Nina and Vincent Rauscher* on the birth of their son, *Nicholas Alexander*, 9 lbs., 15½ oz., born March 13, 1979.

ANNUAL HOSPITAL BLOOD DRIVE

Blood is a vital human resource for which there is no substitute. This year during our Annual Blood Drive, 178 employees participated in the program.

The two-day drive was held in mid-January at a time when New York City was undergoing a severe blood shortage. Needless to say, these vital contributions were greatly appreciated.

A very special note of thanks to the team captains whose efforts generated such an enthusiastic response and to the employees who donated blood. The following employees either donated themselves or had someone else donate for them:

S. Abraham
L. Adjemian
M. Aglione
J. Ahearn
G. Allen
M. Antonucci
A. Arroyo
A. Axelrod
N. Backmon
M. Bain
C. Benitez
J. Benway
R. Bianco
P. Binder
J. Black
J. Blatt
M. Bliefeld
C. Braghieri
R. Brice
G. Broom
S. Byczek
G. Cameron
G. Carrington
H. Chamberlain
L. Champagnie
J. Charlemagne
C. Cherry
C. Christensen
J. Cintron
O. Clarke
P. Classi
M. Collins
J. Cottrell
R. Cottrell
V. Crescioni
S. Cunningham
G. De Hoyo Rodriguez
R. Delva
A. Dexter
M. Diaz-Cruz
A. Dimino
D. Dines
A. Dreyfus
N. Ebert
J. Esposito
L. Farace
M. Farrington
E. Fox
C. Furmansky
S. Gatti
V. Gerena
A. Giano
T. Goei
C. Gonzalez
J. Griffin
J. Guerrier
A. Gumbs
A. Hannys
V. Harnett
B. Harris
M. Hayden
V. Hennessy
O. Henry
S. Herlitschek
R. Hernandez
D. Hofler
S. Janda
A. Jenkins
M. Jones
A. Joseph
C. Joseph
C. Kabat
B. Kelly
L. Kiernan
C. Kim
C. Komer
W. Korzenietz
H. Kramer
J. Krauss
M. Krawitz
M. Kroll
M. A. Kroll
B. Kuenstler
J. Kurtz
A. Labissiere
B. Langer
D. Lee
S. Lesser
O. Lettsome
W. Lewis
F. Lively
G. Louzao
J. Lukas
J. Marcella
E. Marigney
C. Martin
R. Martinez
V. McCain
J. McDaniel
S. McGahan
P. McKevitt
B. McKnight
E. Messman
M. Miceli
R. Morales
V. Moreland
O. Morile
M. Naimoli
D. Norz
S. Oliver
M. Padilla
M. Pagliari
M. Palmieri
M. Pangas
M. Pelletier
C. Penna
A. Perroto
S. Phalin
M. Phelan
M. Poggi

D. Pollack
D. Polland
R. Pratt
L. Quell
T. R. Quigley
H. Quinn
E. Rader
H. Raiford
V. Rauscher
L. Rea
P. Reeves
E. Reilly
C. Renaud
P. Richardson
G. Ridley
N. Roundtree
M. Rosario
N. Ryan
E. Sanchez
A. Satriano
D. Schneider
A. Schuff
C. Schumacher
A. Shick
T. Simmons
B. Skeist
A. Sligh
D. Small
C. Smith
E. Smith
L. Smith
P. Smith
T. Spicer
E. Southern
M. Stein
J. Taylor
D. Terry
V. VanPutten
G. Varias
O. Varsics
V. Vega
C. Velasquez
A. von Hellens
M. Walsh
Y. Webbe
M. Weldon
D. Wenzel
E. White
M. White
C. Whittingham
E. Williams
E. L. Williams
J. Williams
T. Williams
C. Wright
T. Wright
J. Yates
E. Zaccardo

Anyone wishing to donate blood at any time may do so at the New York Blood Center, 310 East 67th Street.

Monday - Friday 8:00 A.M.-7:00 P.M.

Saturday,Sunday 10:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.

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